

STATISTICS FROM THE CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE (5-YEAR CYCLE)

FARMS	2002	1997	1992	1987
NUMBER	1,095	1,210	1,182	1,391
ACREAGE	431,823	443,424	433,246	448,316
AVERAGE SIZE (ACRES)	394	366	367	322
MEDIAN SIZE (ACRES)	203	208	N	N
AVERAGE ESTIMATED MARKET VALUE PER FARM (\$)				
LAND & BUILDINGS	1,023,254	615,883	415,920	367,247
MACHINERY & EQUIPMENT	121,448	87,453	62,887	54,986
CROPLAND (ACRES)				
TOTAL	360,090	354,055	357,715	371,671
HARVESTED	329,271	319,950	310,840	293,539
IRRIGATED	1,171	1,690	1,523	921
MARKET VALUE AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD				
COUNTY TOTAL VALUE (\$1,000)	116,862	128,148	104,911	93,309
AVERAGE PER FARM (\$)	106,723	105,908	88,757	67,080
NET CASH SALES RETURN PER FARM				
AVERAGE (\$)	37,209	43,205	27,689	17,301
LIVESTOCK (INVENTORY)				
CATTLE & CALVES	30,996	34,006	33,890	40,604
BEEF COWS	D	14,350	12,454	15,414
MILK COWS	D	507	254	299
HOGS & PIGS	97,609	90,121	117,593	122,188
SHEEP & LAMBS	623	1,034	3,188	2,709
LAYERS (20 WEEKS OR OLDER)	366	1,245	D	3,566
BROILER & CHICKEN (SOLD)	D	D	0	D
COMMODITY HARVESTED (ACRES)				
CORN, GRAIN OR SEED	159,721	150,695	144,874	122,731
CORN, SILAGE OR GREENCHOP	1,076	1,175	2,770	1,605
SORGHUM, GRAIN OR SEED	N	N	N	N
WHEAT	4,584	9,114	12,939	7,629
BARLEY	N	N	N	N
OATS	488	N	N	N
RICE	N	N	N	N
SUNFLOWER SEED	N	N	N	N
COTTON	N	N	N	N
TOBACCO	N	N	N	N
SOYBEANS	153,060	151,394	138,871	147,208
DRY EDIBLE BEANS, EXCL. LIMAS	N	N	N	N
POTATOES EXCL. SWEET POTATOES	N	N	N	N
SUGARBEETS FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
SUGARCANE FOR SUGAR	N	N	N	N
PEANUTS FOR NUTS	N	N	N	N
FORAGE LAND (ALFALFA, HAY,) 1/	13,612	13,168	14,456	16,613

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	2002	1997	1992	1987
VEGETABLES FOR SALE				
NUMBER OF FARMS	4	6	7	3
ACREAGE	10	18	32	D
ORCHARDS				
NUMBER OF FARMS	N/A	N	N	N
ACREAGE	52	N	N	N
PRIMARY OPERATOR'S OCCUPATION (NUMBER)				
FARMING	754	N/A	N/A	N/A
NON-FARMING	341	N/A	N/A	N/A
GOVERNMENT PAYMENT PROGRAM PARTICIPATION				
NUMBER OF FARMS	733	N/A	N/A	N/A
PERCENT OF TOTAL	66.94%	N/A	N/A	N/A
TOTAL PAYMENTS RECEIVED (\$1,000)	7,126	5,301	N/A	N/A
AVERAGE PAYMENT RECEIVED PER FARM (\$)	9,722	6,395	N/A	N/A

1/ AREA COUNTED ONLY ONCE (ALL HAY, ALFALFA, SMALL GRAIN, GRASS SILAGE, GREENCHOP).

N - REPRESENTS ZERO.

0 - REPRESENTS AN INSIGNIFICANT AMOUNT.

D - WITHHELD TO AVOID DISCLOSING DATA FOR INDIVIDUAL FARMS.

Z - LESS THAN HALF OF THE UNIT SHOWN

SOURCE: USDA, NASS, 2002 CENSUS OF AGRICULTURE.